11 October 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chai

Chairman, CODIB

SUBJECT

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Status Report on the Chip Report

REFERENCE

Conversations with PAB Prior to his Departure

for and and Parts South East in Europe

I. Annex A (combining Annexes A & B of first version of the report)

A. During your absence, the TIPI/SPO at Wright-Patterson AFB requested two copies of the chip report to utilize results of the chip team's work, and to avoid unnecessary expenditure of funds to obtain much of the same information. A few days later a request for one copy of the chip report was received from the CO of the Navy's Atlantic Intelligence Center (AIC) in Norfolk. I arranged with to produce the needed number of copies of Annex A and forward them to your office. With Nancy's help, we forwarded them with a memo from you and signed for you by JJ. One of the two copies of Annex A sent to the TIPI/SPO was improperly classified. I phoned to the TIPI/SPO to have it returned and forwarded it today to

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I have promised it to the TIPI/SPO as soon as possible. In all correspondence regarding these requests, we sent only the Annex A, noting that the text was not yet complete and coordinated, and promising that the texts would be furnished as soon as available. During this same period, NPIC, 25X1A

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asked for a copy of the report and Annex A, and renewed interest in the chip developed in the IAD of #203.

B. In light of the foregoing and the prospect of renewed interest being generated in the chip report, and 25X1A I agreed to proceed with plans to polish Annex A, and to plan to produce about 20-25 copies of Annex A to be held or distributed as follows:

Copies 1 - 6 -- PAB copy, and requests from TIPI,

AIC, NPIC, JCS Standards Study Group at NSA,

master copy.

Copies 7 - 20 or 25 -- to be produced and held ready for binding as soon as the next text version is ready to be sent to CODIB members for review.

In connection with this last, wishes us to recall the ten copies of Annexes A and B distributed to CODIB principals shortly after they received the long chip report version. Tom feels that recalling these A - B annexes will save a large amount of both manhours and materials cost in making the required copies of Annex A as set forth above. I will draft a memo for Nancy to type requesting that these be returned.

II. The Current Version of the Chip Text

A. Dan has, after considerable searching, obtained the copy with sample graphics selected by that you had asked Dan to take a final edit

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look at this while you were gone. Dan has had a heavy work load while you were gone, with several fixed deadlines. He may not have this version scrubbed up yet.

CODIB members promptly, as soon as you have made the final decision. I estimate it will take a week or so to get

Annexes A - B of the original report version back to 25X1A

and probably another week or so for Tom to schedule
and produce the number of copies of Annex A needed to distribute.

This gives about three weeks to get the text ready and reproduced in sufficient copies for distribution to CODIB

I suggest that we move the new version out to the

P.S.: Hope you all had a fine trip!

B.

members.

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